

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Joseph E. Schmitz, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of Defense, and 34 military nominations in the Army Reserve.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of John Magaw, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of Transportation for Security, after the nominee, who was introduced by Secretary of Transportation Norman Mineta, testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Measures Introduced: 58 public bills, H.R. 3552–3609; 1 private bill, H.R. 3610; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 80–81; H. Con. Res. 295–298, and H. Res. 326–329, were introduced.

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Reports Filed: No Reports were filed today.

Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by Rev. Msgr. Peter J. Vaghi, Pastor, St. Patrick's Catholic Church of Washington, D.C.

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DOD Appropriations Conference Report: The House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3338, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002 by a yea-and-nay vote of 408 yeas to 6 nays, Roll No. 510.

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Agreed to H. Res. 324, the rule that waived points of order against the conference report by voice vote.

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Making Further Continuing Appropriations: The House passed H.J. Res. 79, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2002.

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Agreed to H. Res. 323, the rule that provided for consideration of the joint resolution by voice vote.

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Sine Die Adjournment of the First Session of the One Hundred Seventh Congress: The House agreed to H. Con. Res. 295, providing for the sine die adjournment of the first session of the One Hundred Seventh Congress.

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Convening of the Second Session of the One Hundred Seventh Congress: The House passed H.J. Res. 80, appointing the day for the convening of the second session of the One Hundred Seventh Congress.

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Agreed to H. Res. 322, the rule that provided for consideration of the joint resolution by voice vote.

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Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures that were debated on the legislative day of December 19. Earlier agreed to vacate the ordering of the yeas and nays on H.R. 3423, H.R. 2561, and H.R. 1432 to the end that the Chair put the question on each of those measures de novo.

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Honoring Dr. James Harvey Early in the Williamsburg, Kentucky Post Office Building: S. 1714, to provide for the installation of a plaque to honor Dr. James Harvey Early in the Williamsburg, Kentucky Post Office Building—clearing the measure for the President;

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Major Lyn McIntosh Post Office Building, Valdosta, Georgia: H.R. 1432, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3698 Inner Perimeter Road in Valdosta, Georgia, as the "Major Lyn McIntosh Post Office Building;"

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Office of Government Ethics Authorization: S. 1202, to amend the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 (5 U.S.C. App.) to extend the authorization of appropriations for the Office of Government Ethics through fiscal year 2006—clearing the measure for the President;

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Commending the Crew of the USS Enterprise Battle Group and Armed Forces Prosecuting the War: H. Con. Res. 279, recognizing the service of the crew members of the USS Enterprise Battle Group during its extended deployment for the war effort in Afghanistan. Agreed to amend the title so as to read: A concurrent resolution recognizing the excellent service of members of the Armed Forces